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For: Hydroentangled, Low Basis)
Weight Nonwoven Fabric And)
Process For Making Same)

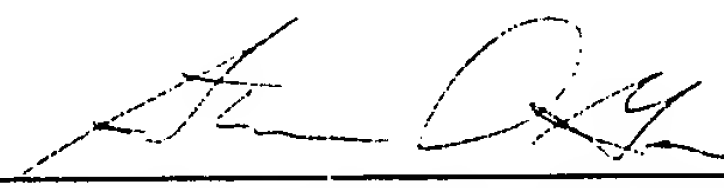
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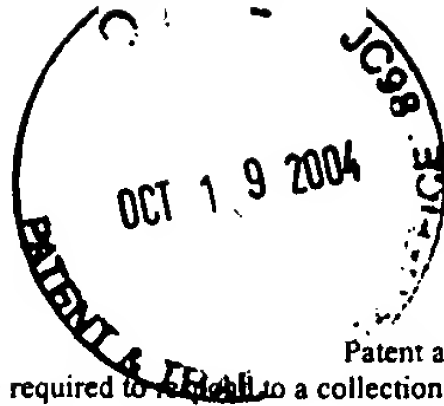
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